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President's Corner

Dear friends,

Happy March and Happy Spring!

As this new year is already well underway, the coronavirus that broke out in December 2019 is now affecting the entire world community. It therefore can truly be considered a major miracle that our WFWP USA delegation who attended the World Summit 2020 in Seoul on February 2-7 all came back uninfected! Our delegation was part of 3,000 world leaders from every sector of human endeavor who met at the huge Kintex Center. Literally two weeks after our events, the Kintex Center was shut down as a health precaution...

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World Summit 2020: Celebrating the life and legacy of Rev. and Mrs. Moon

WFWP USA offers sincere congratulations to WFWP Co-Founders Rev. Sun Myung Moon and Dr. Hak Ja Han Moon for their 100th and 77th birthdays, respectively, and for their 60th wedding anniversary! These anniversaries were commemorated through grand celebrations on February 6th and 7th in South Korea, on the heels of the historic World Summit 2020 that brought together more than 5000 people from 170 nations.

Throughout their lives, Father and Mother Moon, as they are affectionately known, made tremendous sacrifices with the sole purpose of bringing God and peace to this world. There was no better way to acknowledge their efforts than to join together with those around the world in the name of peace for the World Summit 2020, hosted by the Universal Peace Federation...



Creating a cultural shift through collaboration

In our last Logic of Love issue, we shared our theme for this year, **Empower, Collaborate, Impact: Towards a Culture of Heart**, as a model of what it takes to make peace a sustained reality. In that article we expanded upon the first building block of peace: empowered people.

Further expanding on the theme, we need empowered leaders who prioritize peace in every sector of society, who exercise cooperation to enact mutually supported and substantial change made to last.

As neither collaboration nor making an impact are inherently good or bad, it is important to remember that it is up to us to guide the direction of each. We are the drivers! This is why we emphasize the underlying purpose of our efforts, which is to move towards a culture of heart...

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The Schools of Africa thank YOU for your support in 2019

For the past 20 years, Women's Federation for World Peace USA has been consistently supporting the Schools of Africa Project, **thanks to the wonderful efforts of local chapters and members around the country that continue to find ways to give.**

Since the project began in 1994 with WFWP Japan, it has grown to now include ten schools in eight African countries, ranging from elementary and high schools to technical institutes that provide women with training in marketable skills such as dressmaking or business administration.

Last year, WFWP USA was able to raise a total of \$43,464.03 through the combined efforts of the online fundraiser and chapter fundraisers all over the country...

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The dual focus of WFWP Jordan: Empowering women and children to build worthy lives

WFWP Jordan was established in 1994 and gained official recognition from the Ministry of Social Development in 1997. Since then, it has been doing a lot of grassroots activities to educate and empower the most vulnerable members of society: women and children in impoverished areas.

We opened our own vocational training center for women in the year 2000 in Wadi Seer (near Amman), where many needy families live. However, since 2013 we faced the challenge of receiving less and less women at our center...



SEEKING MONETARY DONATIONS March 16-20, 2020 Monday-Friday 9am-4pm WFWP USA is excited to collaborate with our Global Friend "Stand Up To Poverty" on their Medical Mission Trip to Haiti (March 14-21, 2020) by sending our Vice President Rev. Juanita Pierre-Louis, as a WFWP USA volunteer.

Find out how YOU can make an impact today!

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Revisiting the historic Beijing conference

As this year's CSW (Commission on the Status of Women) events had to be cancelled due to the threat of the coronavirus, we would still like to take the opportunity to commemorate the historic Beijing conference which would have been the focus of CSW64.

It has been 25 years since representatives from around the world participated in the United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women and adopted the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action.

In remembrance of these events, we invite you to read the reflections and observations of Betsy Jones, then vice president of WFWP USA, who attended the conference in Beijing in 1995...

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Embark on a journey to freedom, love, peace and harmony: What I gained from my WFWP USA internship

WFWP USA offers a diverse array of internships to young people wanting to expand their horizons and explore the world of non-profit work. In this article, Samipa Khanal shares about her experiences and insights as an outreach intern in January and February 2020. Anyone interested can apply for the next round of internships in June 2020.

My internship with WFWP USA has become an integral part of my learning process. I am delighted that it was a requirement for my course of study at the University of Bridgeport. I am a communications graduate and as a media and communications enthusiast, my internship at the Women's Federation for World Peace has interestingly become one of the key achievements in my career path...



Five tips for a successful Spring Cleaning

Spring is just around the corner. Days are getting longer and we're starting to feel more comfortable with the idea of spending time outdoors. As you find yourself becoming more active, it's time to freshen up your home environment to match your mood. And this calls for a good old-fashioned spring cleaning!

It's true, months of cold weather tend to discourage open windows and the air in your home becomes stale. Don't be afraid to shake loose and remove all the dust and grime that's settled in and brighten up every room with a thorough clean. You'll end up with improved air quality, better respiratory health and a brighter mood - because any environment we spend a good amount of time in really does affect how we feel...

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WFWP Arizona creating bridges in the community through interfaith dialogue

After a successful interfaith forum in October 2019, WFWP Arizona held its second Interfaith Dialogue on Saturday, February 15, 2020 at Udall Community Center in Tucson, Arizona. Participants included passionate women of faiths representing Islam, Baha'i, Sikhism, Christianity and the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification.

Inhaa Nambula was an outstanding emcee and facilitator, and she warmly welcomed everyone to the interfaith program with her youthful energy.

Mrs. Mina Calik, representing Islam, spoke about the SEMA Foundation, a non-profit organization she founded with the purpose of building bridges in the community and a focus on charity, education, outreach and culture...

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WFWP Midwest Region joins ACLC Chicago for Founders' Birthday Celebration: "Their teaching of love continues to radiate"

The freezing, wet and hazardous weather in Chicago on Saturday, January 25, 2020, was not a deterrent or hindrance to the anticipation for the birthday celebration for the founders of WFWP, Dr. Hak Ja Han Moon and Rev. Dr. Sun Myung Moon. WFWP supported this celebratory breakfast event, which was sponsored by the American Clergy Leadership Conference (ACLC), another organization founded by Father and Mother Moon...



Upcoming WFWP Events: Global and Local

Check out the calendar for exciting upcoming events.

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